



**Big Idea of the Series:** The goal of any follower of Christ is to become more like him. Our entire lives are pointing us in that direction. However, sometimes we fail to truly see that while we participate, it is God who is changing us. He is setting us apart as his own and shaping us to be with him forever. It is not an overnight success, it will come only as he has decided. We just have to trust the process.

Using your Bible or Movement Church APP read.

Have one in the group read... *Phillippians 1:3-11*

**Big Idea of the Message:** We need to grow at the pace God wants us to grow, even if it doesn't feel like we are growing

**Key Question:** What is one thing you could do today to trust God more with this process?

**Application Point:** We may not be able to rush the process, but we can enjoy it and let God move us along at his pace.

**Start Talking.** Find a conversation starter for your group.

- What is the one thing that stood out from this week's message?
- What is an example of something we have to wait for as it finishes? What was the longest time you waited for something?

**Start Thinking.** Ask a question to get your group thinking.

- What is the most difficult aspect of waiting on God? Why do you think that is the most challenging?
- In Philippians 1:6, Paul says he is confident that God began a good work that God will bring to completion. What does it mean to know that God began a good work in you as a believer? Do you feel a sense of confidence about it or does it concern you? Do you trust that God will bring it to completion?

**Start Sharing.** Choose a question to create openness.

- Read Mark 4:26–29. How does this passage speak to God's role in our growth?
- While it's true that we play a part in the process, how does it feel to know that, ultimately, we depend on God to bring us to maturity? Does it relieve you of any pressure?

**Memorize.** *There has never been the slightest doubt in my mind that the God who started this great work in you would keep at it and bring it to a flourishing finish on the very day Christ Jesus appears. **Phillippians 1:6***

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